### **PROGRAM**

Sunday	Evening	2	<b>NOVEMBER</b>	1997
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Registration: 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM

> Location: South Fover 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Location: Ballroom VI-VIII

### Monday Morning, 3 November 1997

7:00 A.M. Registration

Location: South Foyer
7:00 A.M. Set up Poster Presentations
Location: Ballroom VI-VIII

**PLENARY SESSION Location: Ballroom IV-V** 

Set Up Poster:

MODERATOR: Gary L. Obenauf

8:30 - 8:50

Welcome and California Perspective on Methyl Bromide Jean-Mari Peltier, Chief Deputy Director of California Department of Pesticide Regulation

8:50 - 9:20

**Update on Montreal Protocol Keith Pitts,** USDA, Special Assistant to the Deputy Secretary Office of the Secretary

9:20 - 9:30

Housekeeping Gary L. Obenauf, MBAO Program Committee Chairman

9:30-10:00 Break Location: Ballroom VI-VIII

# Monday Morning, 3 NOVEMBER 1997, Concurrent Sessions

PREPLANT SESSION: 10:00 AM Until 12:00 Noon MODERATOR: Frank Westerlund Location: Ballroom IV	POSTHARVEST SYMPOSIA: Insect Monitoring/Precision Targeting 10:00 am until 12:00 noon MODERATOR: Richard Brenner Location: San Diego I-II
10:00 - 10:20 <b>Harry Hoitink,[1]</b> Compost as a Substitute for Methyl Bromio	le
Fumigation in Plant Disease Control	Richard Brenner, [50] Spatial Analysis in Precision Targeting for Integrated Pest
10:20 - 10:40 <b>John Bowers,[2]</b> Effect of Botanical Extracts on Soil	Management: Concepts and Processes
Populations of Fusarium and Other Soilborne Pathogens 10:40 - 11:00 George Lazarovits, [3], High Nitrogen Containing Organic	Richard Arbogast, [51] Trapping and Spatial Analysis for Precision
10:40 - 11:00 George Lazarovits, [3], High Nitrogen Containing Organic Amendments for the Control of Soilborne Plant Pathogens	Targeting of Storage Pests in Large Retail Stores
11:00 - 11:20 <b>George Lazarovits,[4]</b> Mechanisms Associated with Disease	Brian C. Zeichner, [52] Precision Targeting and Baiting Techniques
Control by Organic Soil.	Economizing Non-Chemical Thermal Control of German Cockroaches
11:20 - 11:40 <b>Charles L. Wilson,[5]</b> An Apparatus for the Rapid Evaluation	of Nan-Yao Su,[53] Elimination of Structure-Infesting Termite
Natural Soil Fumigants Such as Benzaldehyde	
11:40 - 12:00 Saad L. Hafez,[6] Alternative to Methyl Bromide for Nemator	
Management in Orchard and Row Crops.	<b>Dennis Shuman, [54]</b> Automated Electronic Sensing of Insects as a Data Source for
	Spatial Analysis

### LUNCH BREAK 12:00 Until 1:30 PM

#### Monday Afternoon, 3 NOVEMBER 1997, Concurrent Sessions PREPLANT SESSION: 1:30 PM Until 3:10 PM POSTHARVEST SESSION: 1:30 PM Until 2:50 PM Moderator: **Wally Ewart** Moderator: Scott Vates Location: Ballroom IV Location: San Diego I-II 1:30 - 1:50 Tracy L. Connell, [7] A Soil Bacterium Which Grows on 1:30 - 1:50 C.H. Bell, [55] Use of a Microprocessor-Controlled Sensor-Methyl Bromide and its Application to the Dissipation of Methyl Linked Dosing System to Regulate Application of Fumigants to Bromide During Soil Fumigation Structures and Enclosures **Don W. Dickson, [8**] 1, 3-Dichloropropene Enchanced Eli Shaaya, [56] Phyto-Oils as Alternatives for the Control of 1:50 - 2:101:50 - 2:10Degradation: Does it Affect Efficacy Insects Attacking Stored Products and Cut Flowers 2:10 - 2:30 Jav Gan, [9] Surface Appliation of Fertilizer Ammonium 2:10 - 2:30 **Yigal Carmi, [57**] Evaluation of Methyl Iodide and Carbon Thiosulfate to Reduce Methyl Bromide Emission from Soil Disulfide as Alternatives to Methyl Bromide for the Control of **Dong Wang, [10]** 1, 3-D Emission Reduction with Drip Stored-Product Insects 2:30 - 2:50 Irrigation 2:30 - 2:50 Bishu Chakrabarti, [58] The Potential for Phosphine to 2:50 - 3:10 Scott R. Yates, [11] Will Virtually Impermeable Films Replace Methyl Bromide Eliminate Methyl Bromide Emissions from Preplant Fumigation? 3:00 PM Until 3:30 PM BREAK **Location: Ballroom VI-VIII** BREAK 3:00 PM Until 3:30 PM **Location: Ballroom VI-VIII** PREPLANT SESSION: 3:30 PM Until 5:10 PM **MODERATOR:** Jim Gilreath POSTHARVEST SYMPOSIA: Quality of Commodities from Alternative Treatments. 3:30 PM Until 5:30 PM **Location: Ballroom IV** MODERATOR: Harvey T. Chan, Jr. 3:30 - 3:50 **Don W. Dickson, [12]** Furnigants and Nonfurnigants for Location:San Diego I-II Rreplacing Methyl Bromide in Tomato Production Charles Keddy, [13] Results of Alternative Applications on Harvey T. Chan, Jr. [59] 3:50 - 4:10 Maintaining Market Quality in Quarantine Treatments: Issues and Approaches What is Quality and How can we Measure It? Weed Control in a Strawberry Nursery Judy Abbot, [60] 4:10 - 4:30 Ian J. Porter, [14] Methyl Bromide for Preplant Soil Ray McGuire,[61] Confronting Postharvest Decay in Ouarantine Treated Disinfestation in Temperate Horticultural Crops in Australia in Commodities Maket Quality in Disinfested Flowers, Foliage, and Perspective Arnold Hara,[62] Propagated Plant Material 4:30 - 5:10 **Mohamed Besri, [15]** Alternatives to Methyl Bromide for Commodity Tratment Protocols: Preserving the Krista Shellie,[63] Preplant Protected Cultivation of Vegetables in the Commodity While Killing the Pest Biochemical/Phytotoxic Responses of Fresh Commodity to Alternative M B Treatments Mediterranean Developing Countries Louie Aung,[64] Can Crops Grown in Temperate Climates Handle Heat Michael Lay-Yee,[65]

Disinfestation

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	POSTER SESSION:	Moderator:	Bill Thomas	Location: Ballroom V-VIII
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM	RECEPTION Location: Ballroom V-VIII			

REGISTRATION	Tuesday Morning, 4 NOVEMBI N: Location: South Foyer		
PREPLANT SES MODERATOR	SSION: 8:00 AM Until 9:20 AM Dan Chellemi Location: Ballroom IV	POSTHARVEST MODERATOR:	SESSION: 8:00 AM Until 9:20 AM Rick Bruno Location: Ballroom V
8:00 - 8:20 8:20 - 8:40 8:40 - 9:00 9:00 - 9:20	S. J. Locascio, [16] Soil Temperature as Affected by Soil Solarization in a Humid Climate J.Noling,[17] Relative Lethal Dose, A Time-Temperature Model for Relating Soil Solarization Efficacy and Treatment Duration for Nematode Control David T. Patterson,[18] Factors Affecting the Suppression of Nutsedge by Transluycent Plastic Film Mulch Carl E. Sams,[19] The potential for Utilizing Brassicas as an Alternative to Methyl Bromide in Controlling Soilborne Diseases	8:00 - 8:20 8:20 - 8:40 8:40 - 9:00 9:00 - 9:20	Stephen R. Drake,[66] Irradiation as an Alternative to Methyl Bromide for Quarantine Treatment of Sweet Cherries Joseph Borsa,[67] Irradiation for Quarantine Disinfestation: Practical Aspects and Options Jaime G. Gonzalez,[68] Wax Treatments Meeting Probit 9 Requirements for Controling Brevipalpus Chilensis in Cherimoyas and Citrus Fruit Laurie G. Houck,[69] Postharvest Response of Lemon Fruit to Hot Water Immersion, Quarantine Cold or Methyl Bromide Fumigation Treatment Depends on Preharvest Growing Temperature

PREPLANT SYMPOSIA: Cropping Systems		STRUCTURAL SESSION:10:00 AM Until 1:00 PM	
10:00 AM Until 12:00 N MODERATOR: Joe I Location: Ballroom IV	Noling	MODERATOR: Location: Ballro	Susan Lawrence Dom V
John Baritelle	One Grower-s Perspective on the Loss of Methyl Bromide in California Perennial Cropping	10:00 - 10:20	Robert Brigham,[70] jCorrosive Effects of Interactions of Phosphine, Carbon Dioxide, Heat and Humidity on Electronic Equipment
Philip Roberts	Systems  Host Plant Resistance to Nematodes in Annual Cropping System	10:20 - 10:40 10:40 - 11:00	Bill B. Brodie,[71] Decontamination of Golden Nematode Infested Equipment with Steam Heat Alan K. Dowdy,[72] Distribution and Stratification of
Stephen Gliesman Kirk Larson	Redesigning Strawberry Agro Ecosystems for Management without Methyl Bromide Advances in Research for Alternative to	11:00 - 11:20	Temperature in Processing Plants During Heat Sterilization Paul Fields,[73] Diatomaceous Earth Combined with Heat to Control Insects in Structures
NIIK LAISON	Methyl Bromide Soil Fumigation for California	11:20 - 11:40	David Mueller,[74] ECO <sub>2</sub> .FumeJ , Fumigant Gas .

Charles (Chip) Hinton	Strawberry Production Methyl Bromide Alternatives: A Florida Strawberry Industry Perspective	11:40 - 12:00 12:20 - 12:40	Ron Noyes,[75] Application of ECO <sub>2</sub> FumeJ to Stored Wheat in Sealed Steel Bins Thomas W. Phillips,[76] Mortality of Stored-Product
	madatry i dispositive	12.20 - 12.40	Insects Exposed to ECO2FumeJ Fumigant Gas
		12:40 - 1:00	Rudy Bergen, [77] Evolution of Quality and Insect Control in a Flour Mill.

# Tuesday Afternoon, 4th NOVEMBER, 1997 - Concurrent Sessions

PREPLANT SES MODERATOR:	SION: 1:30 PM Until 3:10 PM	POSTHARVEST	SESSION: 1:30 PM Until 3:10 PM
WODERATOR.	Location: Ballroom IV	MODERATOR:	Pat Vail Location: Ballroom V
1:30 - 1:50	Mark Lancaster, [20] Dazomet Activity Towards Southern Bacteria Wilt and Non-Activity Towards Fusarium in Plasticulture Tomato Production	1:30 - 1:50	<b>Guy Hallman, [78]</b> Irradiation Quarantine Treatment Doses for Apple Maggot, Blueberry Maggot, and Plum
1:50 - 2:10	John M. Duniway, [21] Response of Strawberry to Some Chemical and Cultural Alternatives to Methyl Bromide Fumigation of Soil Under California Production Condition	1:50 - 2:10	Curculio <b>Guy Hallman, [79]</b> Concerns with Temperature  Quarantine Treatment Research
2:10 - 2:30	<b>Salvadore J. Locascio</b> , [22] Pest Control with Alternative Fumigants to Methyl Bromide for Tomato	2:10 - 2:30	Robert L. Mangan, [80] Commodity Independent Heat Treatment Parameters for Disinfestation from Anastrepha
	James P. Gilreath, [23] Field Validation of 1, 3-Dichloropropene + Chloropicrin and Pebulate as an Alternative to Methyl Bromide in Tomato	2:30 - 2:50	Fruit Flies  Lisa Neven, [81] Development of Combination Heat and Cold Treatments for Postharvest Control of Codling moth in Apples and Pears
2:50 - 3:10	Philip B. Hamm, [24] The Comparison of Methyl Bromide, Metam Sodium (VAPAM) and Telone C-17 Soil Fumigants with Watermelon and Tomatoes in the Columbia Basin of Oregon	2:50 - 3:10	Marc A. Seidner, [82] Method for Heat-treating Wood and Wood Products - The Clean Kill

BREAK 3:00 PM Until 3:30 PM Location: Ballroom VI-VIII

PREPLANT SYMPOSIA: Forestry Cropping Systems

Location: Ballroom IV 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM

MODERATOR: Frank K. Burch

Robert L. James, [25] Alternatives to Chemical Soil Fumigation in Western Federal Bareroot Conifer Nurseries

John P. Jones,[26] Biological Control of Pythiaceous Fungi Causing Death to Longleaf Pine Seedlings in Cold Storage

Clark W. Lantz,[27] Alternatives to Methyl Bromide in Southern Forest Tree Nurseries

# BREAK 3:00 PM Until 3:30 PM Location: Ballroom VI-VIII

Gary K. Smith,[28] Development of Alternatives to Methyl Bromide for Forestry Uses: The Role and Accomplishments of USDA-Forest Service, Forest Health Protection

REGISTRATIO	ON:	Wednesday Morning, 5 NOVEM Location: South Foyer	BER 1997, Concu	urrent Sessions
PREPLANT S MODERATO	ESSION : R: Chip Hinton	8:20 AM Until 9:20 AM	POSTHARVEST MODERATOR:	: Lisa Neven
Location: Bal	Iroom IV		Location: Ballro	om v
8:20 - 8:40  Lori Lynch,[29] Economic Implications of Banning Methyl Bromide: How have they changed with Recent Developments?  8:40 - 9:00  Brent M. Hueth,[30] Economic Impact of Banning Methyl Bromide Use in California Agriculture  9:00 - 9:20  Van Johnson,[31] Use of Methyl Bromide and Other Chemical Pest Control By Strawberry and Fresh Tomato Growers		8:00 - 8:20 8:20 - 8:40 8:40 - 9:00 9:00 - 9:20	Shijun Zhou,[83] Controlled Atmosphere Treatments for Postharvest Control of Two-Spotted Spider Mites (Tetranychus urticae)  Krista Shellie,[84] Grapefruit and Mexican Fruit Fly Tolerance to Refrigerated Controlled ATmosphere Atorage  Burrell Smittle,[85] Is 150 Gy Overkill for Caribbean Fruit Fly Larvae?  Mats Igemanson,[86] MidsJ Infrared Technology-Effective, Benign, Affordable	
		Break 9:30 AM Location: Ball	Until 10:00 AM room VI-VIII	
PREPLANT SE MODERATOR Location: Ballro		12:20 PM	POSTHARVEST MODERATOR:	SESSION: 10:00 AM Until 11:40 AM: Ralph Ross
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10:00 - 10:20	Resistance in Bell Peppe		10:00 - 10:20	Peter R. Dentener,[87]Securing Market Access for New Zealand Wood Products
10:20 - 10:40	Different Strawberry Cu Dahliae as a Potential A	valuation of Relative Resistance of ltivars to Phytophthora and Verticillium lternative to Methyl Bromide	10:20 - 10:40	<b>Franziskus Horn,[88]</b> The Horn Phosphine Generator and Fumigation Methods with This New Tool for Space, Stored Products and Fruits
10:40 - 11:00	<b>G. T. Browne,[34]</b> Waln	nut Rootstock Selection for Resistance to	10:40 - 11:00	Judy Johnson,[89] Effect of Low Temperature Storage on

	Phytophthora spp		Survival and Reproduction of Indianmeal Moth
11:00 - 11:20	Geoff Zehnder, [35] PGPR: A Potential Alternative to Methyl	11:00 - 11:20	Elmer Schmidt,[90] Penetration of Fumigants into Logs for Pest
	Bromide Fumigation in Vegetable Production		Eradication and Stain Prevention
11:20 - 11:40	Robert P. Larkin,[36]Biological Control of Fusarium Wilt of	11:20 - 11:40	Brad R. White, [91] Field-Testing Phytosanitation Treatments
	Tomato Under Varying EnvironmentalCondition		on Chilean Radiata Pine
11:40 - 12:00	Frank V. Sances,[37] Conventional and Organic Alternatives to		Paul K. Ndalut, [92] Pyrethrum Extract, A Viable Alternative
	Methyl Bromide on California Strawberries		to Methyl Bromide in Grain Fumigation-Review
12:00 - 12:20	Janny G. M. Vos[38] Review of Use of Alternatives to Methyl		
	Bromide for Horticultural Crops in Asia		
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### LUNCH BREAK until 1:30 PM

# Wednesday Afternoon, 5 NOVEMBER 1997, Preplant Sessions

1:30 PM Until 3:10 PM

PREPLANT SESSION: MODERATOR: Dan Botts

**Location: Ballroom IV** 

1:30 - 1:50	J. O. Becker,[39] Achievable	e Yield in a Commercial Fresh Carrot Production Field in California
1:50 - 2:10	Robert T. McMillan, Jr.,[40] Methyl Iodide a Direct Rep	placement of Methyl Bromide as a Soil Fumigant for Sweet Peppers
2:10 - 2:30	Clyde C. Dowler,[41]	Herbicide Efficacy of Metham-Sodium and Methyl Iodide Applied Through Irrigation Systems
	in Georgia	
2:30 - 2:50	S.R. Yates,[42] Propargyl	Bromide - A Possible Chemical Alternative to Methyl Bromide for Preplant Fumigation
2:50 - 3:10	Kirk D. Larson,[43]	Nursery Soil Fumigation Regime Affects Strawberry Transplant Production, Transplant Size,
	and Subsequent Fruit Yield	

Break 3:00 PM Until 3:30 PM Location: Ballroom VI-VIII

3:30 PM Until 5:30 PM PREPLANT SESSION:

Location: Ballroom IV

**MODERATOR: Stan Barras** 

3:30 - 3:50	David L. Dwinell,[44]	Management of Disease Losses Through Seed treatments of longleaf and shortleaf
	pines	
3:50 - 4:10	Barry B. Hunter,[45]	Field Application of Sewage and Spent Mushroom Composts in Conjunction with
	Basamid, a Fumigant, to	Control the Root Pathogen, Cylindrocladium Scoparium, in Forest Nursery Soils
4:10 - 4:30	Eric A. Pedersen,[46	A Mirobial Inoculant for Conifers, an Alternative to Methyl Bromide Fumigation

PREPLANT SESSION: MODERATOR: Dan Botts 1:30 PM Until 3:10 PM

### Location: Ballroom IV

1:30 - 1:50 1:50 - 2:10	/	ole Yield in a Commercial Fresh Carrot Production Field in California placement of Methyl Bromide as a Soil Fumigant for Sweet Peppers
2:10 - 2:30	Clyde C. Dowler,[41] in Georgia	Herbicide Efficacy of Metham-Sodium and Methyl Iodide Applied Through Irrigation Systems
2:30 - 2:50 2:50 - 3:10	č	Bromide - A Possible Chemical Alternative to Methyl Bromide for Preplant Fumigation Nursery Soil Fumigation Regime Affects Strawberry Transplant Production, Transplant Size,
4:30 - 4:50	Michael McKenry, [47] Nurseries	Field Comparisons of 20 Potential Methyl Bromide Alternatives for Tree and Vine
4:50 - 5:10 5:10 - 5:30	Andrew Nyczepir, [48 ] Michael McKenry,[49 ] Problem	Bahiagrass for the Management of Ring Nematode in Peach Failure of Late-November Systemic Herbicide Treatments to Control the Preplant

# **POSTER SESSION**

Posters will be displayed in Coffee Break Area: **Ballroom VI-VIII** 

# **PREPLANT POSTERS:**

Husein Ajwa [93] Preplant Application of Alternative Fumigants by Irrigation Systems

**Leon H. Allen, Jr. [94]**Soil Flooding During the Off-Season as an Alternative to Methyl Bromide

J. O. Becker [95] Hot Gas Applica;tion of Methyl Bromide and Methyl Iodide for Soil FumigationField Trials

Michelle M. Cram[96] Survey of Southern Forest Nurseries: Fumigation Practices and Pest Management Concerns

S. W. Fraedrich [97] Preliminary Results of the Effects of Dazomet Rate and Incorporation Method on Pest Management in Southern Forest-

Tree nurseries

**Chad M. Hutchinson [98]** Efficacy of Methyl Iodide Against Nematodes and Plant Pathogens

M. E. Kannwischer-Mitchell [99] Southern Pine Seedling Health & Quality After Three or Four Consecutive Crops in Fumigated Soil, Soil

Treated with Organic Amendments or Untreated Soil

Richard Karsky [100] Steam: An Alternative to Methyl Bromide?

Yuso Kobara [101] Reducing Emission of Methyl Bromide From Soil Fumigation: Effect of Shielding Solar Radiation with Non-Woven

High-Density Polyethylen Fiber Sheet

James Liebman [102] California Has Not Yet Reduced Methyl Bromide Use: Implications for Research and Extension Policy

M. E. McGiffen, Jr. [103] Alternatives for Purple and Yellow Nutsedge Management

Frank N. Martin [104] Microbian Rhizosphere Colonizers of Strawberry and Their Effect on Plant Growth

Brent S. Sipes [105] Root-Knot Nematode Control with Tropical Cover Crops

Janny G. M. Vos [106] Review of Use of Alternatives to Methyl Bromide for Horticultural Crops in Asia

**POSTHARVEST POSTERS:** 

Franklin H. Arthur [107] Red Flour Beetle Survival After Timed Exposures on Cyfluthrin-Treated Concrete

James E. Baker [108] Detection of Hidden Insects in Grain by Automated NIR Reflectance Spectrophotometry

Joseph Borsa [109] Gama Processing: A Practical Answer to Quarantine Security

Stephen R. Drake [110] Influence of Quarantine Treatments on Sweet Cherry Quality

Steven L. Halverston [111] Advances in the Use of EHF Energy as a Fumigant for Stored Products

J. D. Hansen [112] The Systems Approach to Quarantine Security for Northwest Tree Fruits: a Practical Alternative

Mats O. Ingemanson [113] MIDSJ Infrared Technology - Effective, Benign, Affordable

Gerhard Knapp [114] Methyl Bromide Emission Control

**Lisa G. Neven [115]**Comparison of Alternative Quarantine Treatments for Sweet Cherries

David Obenland [116] Nectarine Quality Following a Forced-Air Heat Treatment for Fruit Fly Disinfestation

Thomas W. Phillips [117] Quarantine Treatments for Hawaiian Fruit Flies: Recent Studies with Irradiation, Heat and Cold

Don Silhacek [118] The Potential of Insect Growth Regulation (IGR) Applica; tions for Managing Beetle Populations in Packaged

Commodities

J. Larry Zettler [119] The Effects of Carbon Dioxide on Methyl Bromide Toxicity

STRUCTURAL POSTERS:

Michael L. Haverty [120] Non-Chemical Alternatives to Methyl Bromide for Control of Drywood Termites in California

Vernard R. Lewis [121] Electrocution as a Means of Controlling Drywood Termites in Structure: EfficacyUnder Field Conditions

Janine E. Powell [122] New Directions for Forest Service Termite Research

**GENERAL POSTER**:

Sheila Jones, [123] Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (8x10)

Bell, Dr. C. H., [124] (Postharvest)- Toxicity of Vikane (Sulfuryl Fluoride) to Eggs of the Mill Moth, Ephestia Kuehniella